

CEDAR FALLS.

Mr. Winingham Injured in a Runaway—A Wedding—An Order of Sons of Rest Organized—Other Items of Interest.

Mr. A. R. Winingham's horse became frightened at the train here Sunday evening and ran away, throwing Mr. Winingham from his buggy and hurting him right badly, but it is hoped not seriously. The buggy was almost a complete wreck.

Mr. Patterson and Miss Shields were married here Sunday, Mr. A. F. Cox, J. P. Officiating. Miss Shields is daughter of our jolly townsman, Mr. Ervin Shields.

Miss Reader, of Lower Mills town, died Sunday night. The family have the sympathy of the town.

Mr. and Mrs. Baines, of Graham, visited in town Sunday returning to Graham on early train Monday morning.

Mr. A. F. Cox went to Greensboro Monday.

Mr. Walter Craven had music practice at Mr. Bowman's Saturday night, and although the players were not all present, the practice gives promise of some excellent music Saturday 14th.

Mr. Jas. I. Coward has moved to Winston-Salem. Mr. Coward was an excellent citizen and a faithful Sunday school worker. We hate very much to lose him.

Bicycling is the sport of the hour here now. The pretty spring weather has brought to life about all the old wheels in town. We have some good bicyclists but Mr. Melford Free seems to be the champion "trick" rider having learned to "loop the loop" and many other interesting tricks. The wheel he was riding Sunday evening seemed to be very fond of race water. For further particulars call on Mr. Claud Brady.

There is some talk of Mr. Ervin Shields, assistant Grand Organizer Sons of Rest, organizing a branch S. O. R. Lodge here. M. Shields comes well recommended and is thoroughly competent having been drilled by president G. H. Kinney, of Franklinville. Lazy Bone Lodge No. 1—the brightest in the State. The lodge here will be styled Rip Van Winkle, Lodge No. 0. Mr. Shields has received his chair. Invitations extended Mr. Kinney's Lodge. R. T. G.

BIG ELECTRIC COMPANY.

Propose to Construct Inter-Urban Electric Railway within 50 Miles of High Point.

A charter was issued last week for the North Carolina Electric Company of High Point with one million dollars authorized capital for the purpose of constructing inter-urban electric railways within a radius of fifty miles of High Point. There are three incorporators, Dee Allen of Candor, Montgomery county, subscribing to 250 shares; Daniel G. Griswald of Candor, 100 shares, and Melvin C. Hard of Philadelphia, 150 shares.

Empire Personal.

Mr. J. A. Craven closed his school at Fair Grove Saturday. Among the visitors at the school closing were Messrs. Dan White, Alfred Henson, Wesley Williams and DeWitt Wright.

Misses Mary and Elna Cox, of Ralph, visited Miss Ollie Spoon Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. John Woodell and Miss Daisy Jones, of Ramseur attended the school closing at Fair Grove Saturday.

Mr. Luther Allen, of Ramseur, spent Saturday night with Mr. John Davis.

Mr. Henry Cox and family visited the family of Mr. Monroe Cox Sunday.

Fair Grove Sunday school was organized Sunday with Mr. Isaac Pugh as superintendent.

Mr. Gurney Pugh, of Ramseur, spent Saturday night and Sunday with his parents.

Miss Ida Allen, of Ramseur, visited Miss Mary Woodell Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Mary Burrow, of Franklinville, spent Sunday with her parents. Mr. Alex Blair and family, of Nashville, Tennessee, are visiting the family of Mr. Charley Allen.

Mr. Rufus Craven and Mr. DeWitt Wright were welcome visitors at Mr. Stephen Woodell's Saturday night. M. E. W.

In Memoriam.

Died April 2nd, 1906, of meningitis, Earl, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Burrow, aged 6 months and 9 days.

The remains were interred in the cemetery at Brower's Chapel, M. P. church, April 3rd.

The rose bud plucked by the loving hand; Untarnished yet by time; To blow or bloom in future land; Some fairer and brighter chime.

The little crib is empty now, And the little clothes are laid by, And a mother's hope and a father's joy, Is death's cold arm doth lie.

PROVIDENCE GRADED SCHOOL.

Interesting Exercises Held Friday, April 6th—Prof. J. M. Way Delivered the Address.

The attendance at the commencement exercises of the Providence Graded School on Friday, April 6th, was as usual, very large, and the program was enjoyed by all. Those who participated in the exercises, which lasted all day, acquitted themselves admirably, and evidence of a successful term were visible on all sides.

The unavoidable absence of Prof. Z. H. Dixon, who was to have delivered the annual address, was very much regretted. However, the County Superintendent, Mr. Way, was present, and for over an hour held the large assembly in rapport attention. His address was very instructive, and was the topic of much favorable comment.

The program as carried out is as follows:

PROGRAM.

MORNING.

Opening Exercises—A Chant Chorus

Declamation—Get Acquainted with Yourself—Hubert Cranford.

Declamation—The New South—Lester Hockett.

Recitation—Becalmed—Ruby Julian.

Reading—Bobby Shaftoe—Flora White.

Doll Drill and Burlesque—Sixteen Girls and Boys.

Newsboys—Twelve Boys.

Address—Prof. J. M. Way.

AFTERNOON.

Chorus.

Declamation—First View of Heavens—Claude Barker.

Declamation—Stay in the South—Alpheus White.

Pantomime—It's Bad—Lota Gray.

Reading—The Curtain—3 Ladies Teague.

SONG.

Recitation—More Cruel than War—Myrtle Cox.

Declamation—Our True Ideal—Floyd Wilson.

Recitation—Unfinished Music—Mary Skeen.

Recitation—Beautiful Land by the Spoiler—Antrol—Grace Neece.

Drill—Come Play with Me—Four Boys and Four Girls.

Play—No Cure no pay.

MARSHALS.

Alleen White, Chief

Alma Barker Carrie Gray

Dewey Wilson Bynum Field

In the afternoon the Providence ball team crossed bats with the Randleman team. At the end of nine innings the score stood 17 to 8 in favor of Providence. The Randleman boys were somewhat surprised.

FAIR VIEW

Mr. Brokaw and Party Guests at His Game Preserve. Other Interesting Notes.

Mr. W. G. Brokaw and guests arrived here last Wednesday where they expect to spend a part of the spring and summer.

Mr. Fred Blair returned last evening from Charlotte where he has been visiting his sister.

A telegram received this morning brings the sad intelligence of the death of Mr. Willie Lewis, at Mt. Gilead.

John Elder left last Monday for New York to take a business course.

Mrs. E. C. Cranford and Mrs. W. N. Elder attended the State Convention held in Charlotte last week reports a profitable time and they also spent one day and night with Uncle Zebedee Rush at Concord, who is in very feeble health.

Mr. Hargett filled his regular appointment here last Sunday. He preached one of his plain and practical sermons.

Allen Blair is at home on a visit to his parents.

Some of our people attended the silver wedding of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Hargett on the evening of the 7th.

Mr. Brokaw is having additional buildings erected at this place.

Mrs. Carrie Gray is visiting her parents this week.

SCHOOL NOTES.

Work of Year Most Satisfactory—Attendance Better Than Any Spring Term of Past Years.

The graded schools will close May 2. On the evening of May 1, there will be exercises by the pupils of the primary and intermediate grades, and on the evening of May 2 there will be exercises by the pupils of the high school department.

The work of the year now closing has been very satisfactory. The total enrollment has reached 315, and the average daily attendance has been more than 225. One very gratifying feature of the attendance has been that there has been no appreciable falling off in the attendance during the spring term.

The final examinations for promotion will begin April 23, and continue for a week.

The crowded condition of the primary grades makes necessary the addition of another teacher to that department.

FRANKLINVILLE ITEMS.

Easter Entertainment. Married at Cedar Falls. Snake Colla itself About a Dynamite.

An Easter entertainment will be given at the academy next Saturday night, April 14. Prof. C. H. Julian has prepared a nice program and a good thing is in store for every one that attends.

Many of our people attended the funeral of Mr. Joseph Sumner at Concord church Sunday.

Mrs. Hugh Parks, jr. and master Russell, went to Sanford one day last week to spend a few days with relatives and friends.

Mr. Harvel, who recently moved his family from Montgomery to this place, lost a fine mule last week.

Mrs. W. D. Maner, Mrs. M. G. Buie, Hugh Buie and Lettie Buie went to Greensboro on a shopping tour one day last week.

Mr. Isham Jones went to Liberty last Friday to visit his son, Jesse.

Chufee Cox, lately of Proximity has accepted a position with the Franklinville Mfg. Company as boss dyer and overseer of oiling and sweeping in the card room.

Henry Patterson, of this city and Miss Shields, of Cedar Falls, were quietly married at Cedar Falls Sunday. We learn that they will make their future home there.

The dynamite which furnishes lights for the Franklinville Mfg. Co. had to be stopped for quite a novel incident one day last week. G. C. Russell, who has charge of the plant, noticed a snake coiling itself about some of the main wires of the machine and but for his prompt action in stopping the machinery might have resulted in quite a serious accident but it was closed in time to save both the snake and machine.

Why Not Items.

Rev. Martin Leach, of Lassiter, spent Saturday night at Mrs. Sara's Yow's.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Vandford, of Spero, and Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Vuncannon, of Star, have been visiting at Mr. J. A. King's.

Mrs. Mary A. Spencer, wife of Lemuel Spencer, died March 26, 1906, she was 62 years old. She leaves a husband, 8 children, and 20 grandchildren to mourn their loss. She had been a member of Pleasant Hill church for 47 years. Her funeral was conducted by Rev. Geo. H. Biggs.

Among the new boarding students recently entering school are Misses Ina Bean, Hazel Cox, Justo and Ulah Yow, Minnie Williams and Mr. Carson McNeill.

Mrs. E. C. Potest is recovering from her recent illness.

Attempted Criminal Assault.

Henry Eller, a 17-year-old negro, has been placed in jail at Lexington to answer the charge of attempting criminal assault. It is alleged that he forced an entrance into the home of a widow lady and daughter in Davidson county one day last week, where he spent the night. The women say they commanded him to leave in vain and that he attempted to assault them.

The negro claims that he was drunk and did not know where he was; and that the next morning where he awoke he quietly left the house.

Ralph News.

Mr. J. H. Vestal went to High Point and Greensboro last week to purchase goods for his store.

Mr. O. M. Henry and cousin, Miss Lillie Henry, of Asheboro, spent Sunday evening with Misses Caroline and Mary Ann Henry.

Miss Jane Smith has commenced a subscription school at Brower's, of Asheboro, spent Sunday with their uncle, Mr. S. F. Lowdermilk.

The six months' old child of Mr. and Mrs. William Burrow was buried at Brower's Chapel last Tuesday.

Pleasant Ridge Items.

Mr. Leonard is visiting his daughter, Mrs. James Moffitt.

We saw in THE COURIER that the grand jurors had ordered a new court house built but if the overseers don't look after the Asheboro and Buffalo road we will never see it.

Among the visitors at J. L. Bray's Sunday were S. V., and A. S. Cox and E. L. Reece.

Mr. Ernest Cox and family visited Mr. V. M. Cox Sunday. Rip Van Winkle.

Ramblers Entertained.

Miss Esther Auman delightfully entertained the Ramblers at her home on Sunset Ave. on Saturday at 4 p. m. A large number of the members were present and enjoyed a musical program, prepared by the program committee, in which Misses Buila and Corinna Auman participated. After the program came delicious refreshments which were carried out in violet colors with souvenirs of bunches of violets for each guest.

VETERAN'S REUNION.

Confederate Veteran's Reunion Will Meet in New Orleans, La., April 25th-27th, 1906.

For the above occasion the Southern Railway will sell tickets to New Orleans, La. and return at rates named below:

Goldboro,	\$20.00
Selma,	19.55
Raleigh,	18.00
Durham,	18.50
Greensboro,	17.40
Winston Salem,	17.20
Salisbury,	16.45
Hickory,	15.75
Charlotte,	15.55

Approximately low rates from other points. Tickets on sale April 22nd, 23rd, and 24th, with final limit April 30th. The original purchaser may secure extension of final limit until May 21st by personally depositing ticket with Joseph Richardson, Special Agent, Theater Arcade, New Orleans, La., not earlier than April 26th nor later than April 30th, and paying fee of 55¢ cents.

General J. S. Carr has selected the Southern Railway via Atlanta, Montgomery and Mobile as the official route for this "Annual Confederate Veteran's Special," which will consist of first class day coaches, and Standard Pullman Cars to be handled through to New Orleans without change.

This special train will leave Raleigh, N. C. at 3:30 p. m. Monday April 23rd, and will reach New Orleans about 8:30 p. m. Tuesday April 24th. Anyone may use this special train. Berth rate from Raleigh and Durham \$6.00, Greensboro \$5.50, Salisbury and Charlotte \$5.00. Two persons may occupy a berth without additional cost. Excellent service on regular trains in either direction. Ask your Agent for rates from your station. For further information and Pullman reservations write,

R. L. VERNON, Trav. Pass Agt., Charlotte, N. C.

Notice to the Public.

We hereby give notice that no lumber will be paid for by the county Commissioners until put in use by the overseer on the public roads, and such use must be so stated and certified to by said overseer when the claim is presented to the board. H. T. CAVENESS, Chairman.

J. D. Marshall claiming to operate a cold storage at Greensboro traveled this and Chatham county recently buying eggs, placing orders for future delivery at 17¢ a dozen. Citizens along Page's road shipped to him at Greensboro hundreds of dozens. An accomplice of the swindler was at the depot at Greensboro and as fast as the eggs arrived he would ship them to the North. These eggs were never paid for by Marshall and it is estimated that citizens have been swindled out of \$6,000 or more. \$300 reward has been offered for his arrest.

Miss Sallie Bostick who spent Saturday and Sunday at Asheboro a guest of Mrs. G. W. Hunaucker, returned Monday morning to Randleman.

LAND SALE.

By virtue of an order of sale made by the Superior Court of Randolph county, in a special proceeding, therein pending, entitled Vera M. Allen, Infant, by her Next Friend, J. L. Giles, et al., vs. party 1 will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at 12 o'clock m., on Saturday May 12th, 1906, at the court house door, in Asheboro, North Carolina, the following described tract of land, lying and being in Franklinville township, adjoining the lands of J. L. Giles, et al., and containing 100 acres, and known as the farm of Daniel Allen, deceased.

This land is three miles from Asheboro, 2 miles from Central Falls and 2 miles from Cedar Falls, has good buildings, an 8 room house, large barn, corn crib, wagon shed, tool shed, and is well improved and well watered; about 65 acres of wood land, about 40 acres under cultivation, and a good pasture under fence.

Terms of sale, one-half cash and one-half on a credit of six months, the purchaser to give bond and approved security for deferred payments, and same to bear interest until paid. E. MOFFETT, Commissioner. This 11th day of April, 1906.

The Busy Store.

Our Messrs Carter and Craven have just returned from the Northern markets where they bought one of the largest and handsomest stocks of goods ever shown in Ramseur. All up-to-date and prices right. A fine line of silks from

50 cents to \$1.50 per yard

Millinery Department

Our Millinery Department will be in charge of Miss Ora May Cox, the accomplished and clever milliner from High Point. The ladies hats are beautiful this spring. Come and see them

Clothing Department

Our clothing department is complete and we can fit all from the four-year-old boy to the large man. We have a nice line of Shirts and Neckwear right from the manufacturer.

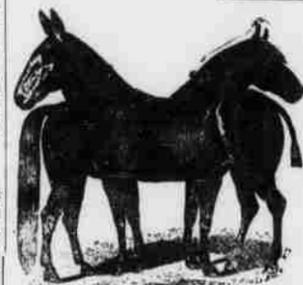
House Furnishings

Mattings, Rugs, &c. A full line of Groceries always on hand. Guano and Acids. Come and see us and we will do you good.

Ramseur Store Company.

H. B. CARTER, Manager.

GOOD STOCK IS NECESSARY.



And this necessity can be met by securing your horses and mules from a dealer who handles them and knows reliable stock when he sees it. I will make a car load of good team mules and good brood mares at my stables about April 9th, and also have some nice driving horses. Come and see.

R. R. ROSS, Asheboro, N. Caro.

..New Goods..

Central Falls Store Co. has just received a lot of spring goods in

SUITINGS, WAISTINGS, SKIRT GOODS, LACES, AND EMBROIDERY, SHOES AND OXFORDS, AND BOYS' AND MEN'S CLOTHING.

We still have a lot of goods to close out cheap. Come and let us show you through our stock.

Central Falls Store Co., E. O. York, Mgr.

BURPEE'S SEEDS GROW! If you want the Best Seeds that can be grown, you should read The Thirtieth Anniversary Edition of BURPEE'S FARM ANNUAL FOR 1906. So well known as the "Leading American Seed Catalogue." It is mailed FREE to all. Better write TO-DAY. W. ATLEE BURPEE & CO., PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Easter Advice

Not a month before you will be ready for your Easter dress or your Easter Monday shirtwaist suits. The latest showing in Dress goods, embracing all of fashion's spring fancies can be found at our store. Our buyer has visited the fashion centres and has purchased the most desirable fabrics, in the most popular shades.

Some Popular Materials:

Fabrique de Paris—Light Woollen dress goods in latest shadow effects, in black, navy, sage green, and pearl gray. From 50c. to \$1.50 a yard.

Linens in white and brown for dresses are a great fad.

Other beautiful patterns are shown in dotted swiss, mulls, and flowered and plain Persian lawns.

And then for trimmings, delicate laces, and insertion will be largely worn. Our line is the most select and prices range from 25c. to \$2.00 per yard.

WE

ask your attention to our large and most comprehensive display of newest models in

Spring and Summer Footwear

for ladies, misses, children and men.

The assortments embrace the richest qualities for ladies and gentlemen, in all leathers, for all occasions.

Our line of spring clothing is without a rival. We can furnish you the best of either custom or tailor-made suits, in the latest spring cuts. In our stock can be found the best goods made by the now famous Griffon merchant and custom tailors.

You should furnish yourself with the most nobby articles in neck-wear hats, and other furnishings: We have them at popular prices.

Wood & Moring.